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(SUBJECT.)

Village Officers - South Kanara - Certain resolution regarding Land Record work - Orders passed.

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As certain Act Land Revenue is Doing in this. Land record question may be taken up by the Board for remarks

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The Board in the L.R. Department has taken action on para 8 alone of the proceedings of the Conference and ~~the~~ already intimated the fact to the Settlement Department vide Board's Ref. no. C64/21-1, dt. 9.1.1921.

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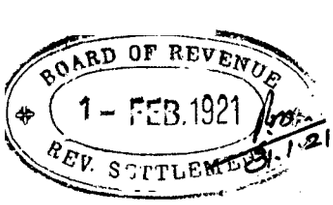
The Board Settlement, LRO no C424/20, dt. 28.1.21



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Subject

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Village officers S. South Kanara — Proceedings of the Conference held at Karkala on 20-11-20

From

The Govt R.D. & the Collr of S. Kanara

Regr No B 186 &c

To Secretary

With reference to the Proceedings of the conference of Vlg. officers of S. Kanara held at Karkala on 20-11- copy of which was sent to Govt & who forwarded it for the Board's information, the Board in this deptt called for the remarks of the Collr on paragraphs 6 & 7 of the Proc which related to certain grievances of the shanbhoques in connection with their land records work

The Collr has offered his remarks on the two paragraphs

Paragraph 6 of the Orders.

The rules required that the Shanbhogues should furnish a round of stone inspection in all the villages in their firka within a year. The Conference requests that in firkas consisting of more than three villages the shanbhogues may be permitted to furnish a round of inspection once in three years. The Collr states that excluding the monsoon months the V.A. Shanbhogues have nine months in a year during which they can attend to the inspection and that even if they are allowed more time to complete the inspection they are not likely to do the work better. He is not therefore in favour of relaxing the rule. The enforcement of the rule may, it is however submitted, cause real hardship in cases in which the Shanbhogues' charges

villages covering a vast area and the number of stories to be inspected is large. Relaxation of the rule may be necessary in exceptional cases of this nature and it is submitted that the Collr may be requested to consider the desirability of relaxing the rule in such cases with reference to Govt no 638 Revd 18-3-19

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Paragraph 7 of the Govt.

In most districts subdivisions sanctioned for assignment on darkhast are subdivisions of existing survey nos. but in S. Kanara, there are large areas of unsurveyed waste blocks and the Karnams are required generally to divide them into fields of 5 acres and in difficult cases into 1½ acres and again measure subdivisions in them according to occupation

before assignment. It should be admitted that this task of splitting large unsurveyed blocks into small fields is a difficult one for the Karnams and the Conference therefore requests that the old practice of measuring out of the waste blocks small fields or subdivisions of the newly cultivated field or Darkhast lands as they are occupied or applied for may be revived. The formation of several subdivisions in the large fields will lead to confusion and inspection will be rendered difficult and the Collr rightly states that the formation of tiny fields is objectionable owing to the difficulty of plotting them in the village maps. Submitted that the concession asked for cannot be granted.

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As regards the other request viz, the appointment of the shanbhogues as surveyors

officers for the purpose of repair and renewal of survey marks, the scheme is being tried in a few districts" and ~~before proceeding further~~ ~~[illegible]~~ the introduction of the system in S. Kanara should await the result of the above experiment

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

BOARD OF REVENUE
5- JAN 1921
REV. SETTLEMENT

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

Proceedings of the conference of village officers of Karkala taluk, South Kanara District, held at Karkala on 21st November 1920

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Endorsement No.6287 D/20-1 dated 3rd January 1921.

Forwarded to the Board of Revenue for information.

(By Order)

J. B. Brown.
Under Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue, Land Revenue.
the Board of Revenue, Revenue Settlement.

Forwarded to the Board of Revenue, Revenue Settlement.

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Recorded.

Senior Superintendent.

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4.1.21 Copy to the D.L.R. for information with reference to paragraphs 6&7 of the proceedings.
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proceedings of the conference of the village offi
of Karkala taluk, held at Karkala on 21st Nov.

Members present.

As will be seen from the list appended. 25
and 17 patels and also a Shanbhogue from Uppinangadi
the President of the Udipi taluk as well as a Patel
same taluk were present.

1. H.R.Ry. Iddya Vasudevayya, B.A.,B.L., Vakil,
nimously elected President of the conference.

2. The following papers were read before the meet
recorded:- The printed invitation letter convening t
ference: the speeches prepared and sent by Messrs. Kad
Rajagopala Krishna Rao; and B. Surappayya and Banjo Kri
the Patel and Shanbhogue, respectively, of Bijur, Kunda
taluk; the letter from H.R.Ry. Vasudevayya, Shanbhogue
Mangalore taluk; and also the proceedings of the Uppin
taluk conference held on 19th September 1920.

3. The conference feels highly gratified to note
addition to the Shanbhogues and the Patels mentioned in
list appended, Messrs. Ananta Padmanabha Bhat, the Pres
the Udipi taluk association and Bhavani Shankar Rao, th
retary of the Uppinangadi taluk association, have atten
conference from a long distance.

4. Though on 6-9-'20 the Shanbhogues alone gathered
gether at Mudabidri and resolved to form an association
themselves only, this conference expresses its disapproval
the same and unanimously resolves that an association sho
formed consisting of both the Shanbhogues and the Patels.

5. We understand that it has been resolved that

...ang to the new scheme, the village munsiffs and the Patels ...e the village headmen are to work honorarily. But as ~~things~~ ... stand at present, the Patel has any amount of responsi... but no honour whatever. It was resolved that representa... should be made that, if the Patels are to be considered -- ...ic servants, it is necessary that they must be paid at least ...0/- per month and, if their posts are to be considered honorary ... should not be frequently summoned to the (taluk) office except ...jamabandi work, that even when their presence is found neces... ...ry on other occasions, they must be given 1st class allowances, ...at they must be shown due respect in case they appear before ...y officer, that, except Gazetted Officers, none else should ...mmon them for work at their pleasure, and that their talaries ...uld be supplied with guns by Government.

6. It was unanimously resolved that representation should ...made that, instead of the present practice by which each Shan... ...ogue has to finish in one year the inspection of the survey ...ones of all the villages in his firka, it is desirable that they ...hould be permitted to make a complete inspection of survey stones ...ach village within a year, and that Shanbhogues of firkas con... ...ing of more than three small villages should be asked to com... ...ely finish the inspection work of their whole firka within ...o years.

7. In the matter of measuring newly cultivated lands and ...ast lands, the present system of dividing them into survey ...ds of 5 and 1½ acres, and of dividing these newly cultivated ...ds into sub-divisions being laborious and impracticable, the system of dividing into sub-divisions newly cultivated lands ~~darkhast~~ darkhast lands under hill numbers and of planting stones there... if carried into effect, would be easier and more practicable ... was, therefore, resolved that representation be made that the system referred to above might be re-introduced. that Shan... ...hogues, as in case of some other districts, be deemed as survey ...ficers with their respective firkas, and that out of fines in

in regard to survey stones, excluding as.2/- paid to the Ugranis the balance of as.6 be paid to the Shanbhogues.

8. Even though it is rumoured that an order of Government has been received sanctioning the payment of allowances in regard to the last Jamabandi work and comparing work to Patels, Shanbhogues and Ugranis, as the higher officers have not sent us any order regarding the payment of such allowances in this taluk, it was resolved that the higher officers be apprpached in the matter.

9. Since the statement 10-1, Chitta, the most important of the accounts maintained by the Shanbhogues, is prepared singly and allowed to remain with them alone, and since it is very difficult to prepare it over again, if lost by any accident it was resolved that representation be made to get orders passed for the preparation of the same in duplicate, the retention of a copy thereof in taluk office and for getting corrections made by Shanbhogues in the taluk copy also of any alterations occurring during the year.

10. The proceedings of the conference held at Mangalore on 24-7-20, with the exception of No.1 thereof, were read in the meeting and unanimously approved.

11. The undermentioned gentlemen were unanimously elected office-bearers:- M.R.Ry. Narayana Hegde, Patel, Karkala Kasba, President of this association; Messrs. Cheruappa Prabhu, Shanbhogue of Nitte, Bnujanga Rao, Shanbhogue of Kaduru and Venoor Krishnayya, Shanbhogue of Karimanelu firka, Secretaries for Karkala division, Ajakaru division and udabidri division respectively; M.R.Ry. Harekala Krishnayya, Shanbhogue of Andinje firka, Vice President; and M.R.Ry. Sivanna Hegde, Shanbhogue of Puttige firka, Treasurer.

12. Resolved that Messrs. Nemiraja Padivala, Patel of Kallamundur, and Cheruappa Prabhu, Shanbhogue of Nitte, be

sent as representatives of this Association to the Presidency Conference to be held in Madras in December next.

13. Resolved that copies of these proceedings be sent to Government, the District Collector, the Divisional Officer and the Tahsildar.

Sd. E. Vasudevayya,

President of the Conference.

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OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE
(LAND REVENUE),

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Madras, dated 19th January 1921.

M.E.Couchman Esquire., I.C.S.,
Commissioner of Land Revenue.

Read:-- Endorsement of the Government (Revenue Department) No.6287 D/20-1, dated 3rd January 1921, forwarding Proceedings of the conference of village officers of Karkala taluk, South Kanara district, held at Karkala on 21st November 1920.

Reference ~~Endorsement~~ thereon No. C.64/21-1, dated 19th January 1921.

Allowances (Jamabandi) - (South Kanara) - Resolution of the village officers Conference.

The Collector of South Kanara is requested to offer his remarks on paragraph 8 of the Proceedings of the Conference of the Village Officers held at Karkala on 21-11-1920 an extract of which is sent herewith for reference.

2. Extracts of paragraphs 6 and 7 of the Proceedings will be forwarded to the Board in the Settlement Department for necessary action.

for Secretary.

To the Collector of South Kanara with an extract. & para 8
Board, Settlement with extract. & paras 6 and 7

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Extracts of paragraphs 6 and 7 of the Proceedings of the Conference of the Village officers held at Karkala on 21-11-1920.

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6. It was unanimously resolved that representation should be made that, instead of the present practice by which each Shanbhogue has to finish in one year the inspection of the survey - stones of all the villages of his firka, it is desirable that they should be permitted to make a complete inspection of survey stones of each village within a year, and that Shanbhogues of firkas consisting of more than three small villages should be asked to completely finish the inspection work of their whole firka within three years.

7. In the matter of measuring newly cultivated lands and darkhast lands, the present system of dividing them into survey fields of 5 and 1½ acres, and of dividing these newly cultivated lands into sub-divisions being laborious and impracticable, the old system of dividing into sub-divisions newly cultivated lands or darkhast lands under hill numbers and of planting stones therein, if carried into effect, would be easier and more practicable. It was, thereofore, resolved that representation be made that the old system referred to above might be re-introduced, that Shanbhogues, as in case of some other districts, be deemed as survey officers within their respective firkas, and that out of fines i regard to survey stones, excluding as.2/- paid to the Ugranis th as. 6 be paid to the Shanbhogues.

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Subject.—

FOR MEMBER N 9

Land Records (South Kanara)
Resolution of the village officers
conference.

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READ AGAIN B.P., No _____ dated _____ 192

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READ ALSO :—

Register No B 186, From the Land Rev Dept Refer C-64/21-1 No. _____, dated 19-1-1921. Q

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~~RESOLUTION~~. No. B-186/21-1, dated 11-2-1921

Note

The Govt. of Govt on the Proc. of the S. Kanara Village officers conference on which the Commr's orders on p. 1 below was passed, was received in the R's section. The L. R - Refer on the same subject was given to the II R's section & a note on the Land records questions was about to be sent up today, when the paper first referred to was handed over. A draft reference to the Coll is submitted in accordance with the Commissioner's orders on this, noting that he has followed the same procedure.

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ORDERS

The Coll of S. Kanara is requested to offer his remarks on paragraphs 6 & 7 of the proceedings of the conference of village officers held at Karkala on 21-11-1920 an extract of which is sent herewith for reference

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To
The Coll of S. Kanara
with extract of paragraphs
6 & 7.

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South Kanara Collector's Office,

Mangalore, dated 23rd March 1921.

From

R. H. Ellis, Esq., I.C.S.,

Collector of South Kanara.

To

The Secretary to the Board,

Revenue Settlement, M a d r a s.

---- p. 9 above

Board's reference No.B--186/21--1. dated 11th February 1921.

Village Officers:-- Conference at Karkal--Extract of proceedings--remarks offered.

p. 8 above

Para 6 of the Proceedings: The only reason for relaxing the rule requiring Shanbhogues to inspect all the survey -- stones in their villages within a year is that it is not -- possible to attend to stone inspection work in this district -- during the monsoon owing to heavy rains; but as the inspection is to be completed before the 31st March, the Shanbhogues have two months before the monsoon and six or seven months after it. Even if they are given more time for completing the inspection, they are not likely to do the work better. I do not therefore see any reason to alter the rule. p. 8 above

Para 7 of the Proceedings:-- According to the instructions in the Survey Manual new survey fields should not be less than 5 acres in extent. But on account of dense forest growth --- in some places in this district and the consequent difficulty in surveying and demarcating big fields concession has -- already been given by directing that where there is difficulty

to form a five-acre field, a field of one and a half acres --- may be formed. As the Land Records Department condemns the --- formation of tiny fields owing to the difficulty of plotting them in village maps no further concession can be allowed.

The system of appointing Karnams as Survey Officers is being tried in some districts tentatively as directed in B.P. No. 179 R.S. dated 17th October 1918 and it is not known ------ if it has been a success. The maintenance work is not heavy --- in this district and the amalgamation of the Land Records --- Inspectors with the Revenue Inspectors has already been sanctioned by the Board. The system need not therefore be introduced in this district for the present.

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For Collector.

Regr B 186/21 &
Refer thereon
Regr no. B764/21

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